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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This communication is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated February 11, 2002.

REMARKS

The Office Action dated February 11, 2002 required restriction of claims 1-45 into 20 claim groups as follows: (Applicants respectfully note that the Office Action erroneously labeled two groups with the number 17, such that there are actually 20 groups, rather than 19, identified therein.)

- I. Claims 1-10, 16-18, 22, 23, 33, and 34, drawn to a pharmaceutical composition comprising hsp110 and an immunogenic polypeptide associated with cancer and to a method for using said pharmaceutical composition, classified in class 424, subclass 277.1.
- II. Claims 1-7, 9, 10, 16-18, 22, 23, 33, and 34, drawn to a pharmaceutical composition comprising grp170 and an immunogenic polypeptide associated with cancer and to a method for using said pharmaceutical composition, classified in class 424, subclass 277.1.
- III. Claims 1-10, 19-21, 22, 23, and 32, drawn to a pharmaceutical composition comprising hsp110 and an immunogenic polypeptide associated with infectious